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## Hamilton's Selected

# Nursery Stock for 1944

Mail Orders Will  
Receive Our Special  
Attention and  
Will be Filled  
from Carefully  
Selected Stock

This year, if never before, be sure and visit our BIG OUTDOOR NURSERY ANNEX located OUTSIDE the REAR of our Downtown Store, 116 1st, S.E.

For a real thrill stroll through this pleasant OUTDOOR department — you'll be glad you came! Here you will find nursery stock that just makes your fingers itch for a spade and a spot to dig in. Big husky plants and trees bursting with life — stronger, heavier, better-rooted than you would ever expect at such reasonable low prices. And whether you buy or not, you are always welcome.

Remember — HERE YOU CAN SEE WHAT YOU BUY. All the "gamble" is taken out. Bring us your questions about planting, pruning, spraying, etc. Let us select your orchard or suggest suitable trees or plants for any purpose. Our service is efficient, complete and — FREE. Be sure and see us before you buy.

## This Year Plant More -- *Fruits and Berries*

WE OFFER A FINE SELECTION OF APPLES, PEARS, CHERRIES, SMALL FRUITS

(SHIPPED EXPRESS COLLECT)

### APPLES

**SNOW APPLE OR FAMOUSE.** Dark-red, snow white flesh. Winter.

**BEN DAVIS.** Every orchard should have at least one Ben Davis as it is a heavy pollinizer.

**DELICIOUS.** Red. Winter. The perfect apple, fine eating, good shipper.

**YELLOW DELICIOUS.**

**YELLOW TRANSPARENT.** Golden summer apple abundant, juicy, tender.

**WEALTHY.** Large flesh. Fine, does well anywhere.

**RED DUCHESS.** Summer. Red and yellow streaked. Large, fine flavor.

**WINEAP.** Winter. Large, red, good keeper.

**GRIMES GOLDEN.** Yellow. Rich, spicy flavor — popular.

**JONATHAN.** One of the best sellers. Red, young bearer.

**WHITNEY CRAB.** Large of all crabs. Best for jellies and pickling.

**ALL APPLE VARIETIES** are hardy, two-year olds. Well branched 5 to 6 feet grade only —

\$1.25 each

**3 for \$3.50**

### CHERRIES

**EARLY RICHMOND.** Bright-red, rich acid flavor. Best for cooking.

**MONTMORENCY.** The big red cherry. Best of all the sour.

**BLACK TARTARIAN.** Black, meaty, sweet flavor. Very large.

**ALL TREES ARE LARGE CALIPER GRADE.** 11-16 and up; 5-6 ft. high.

Full 2-year-old field-grown. A true value at 1.50 each.

**3 for \$4.25**

### PEACHES

Best variety Polly and Elberta Hardy, 98c each.

### GRAPES

**CONCORD.** 25c; 10 for \$2.25.

**MOORE'S EARLY.** 35c; 10 for \$3.50.

**NIAGARA.** White. 40c each; 10 for \$3.50.

### PLUMS

**UNDERWOOD.** Large red, juicy. Late, hardy.

**WANETA.** Bright-red. Extra large. Early.

**THESE — THE BEST** varieties of plums available. Big, husky 5-6 ft. trees. Sturdy and well branched only **\$1.50 each** —

**3 for \$4.25**

### ASPARAGUS

**MARTHA WASHINGTON.** 2 yr. old; 1 doz. 75c, 25 for \$1.25.

### RHUBARB

**STRAWBERRY.** New plant, large, sweet, red flesh.

Large clump

**Each, 35c**

### PEARS

**BARTLETT.** Golden yellow with red cheek. Summer.

**KIEFFER.** Attractive yellow, late, good keeper.

**SECKLE.** The best for eating. Honey-sweet, early.

**THE THREE BEST VARIETIES OF PEARS ON THE MARKET.** 5-6 ft. trees, 11/16 grade, **\$1.50 each.**

**3 for \$4.25**

### BERRIES

**CUMBERLAND.** Black, sweet, earliest. 10 for 85c, 25 for \$1.75, 50 for \$3.00.

**LATHUM.** Best liked of the reds. Large and sweet. 10 for 65c, 25 for \$1.50, 50 for \$2.50.

**THORNLESS BOYSEN BERRIES.** A cross between a raspberry, blackberry and loganberry. Giant size, often 2 inches long. 12 for \$1.25.

## Hansen's BUSH CHERRY

The most outstanding fruit introduced in recent years. Plants are bushy and rarely get over 5 feet tall. Edible fruit.

**49c each; 3 for \$1.25**

## Sensational New QUINTUPLET APPLE TREE

An amazing new development lets you grow 5 different varieties on one tree.

Yellow DELICIOUS \$1.75 ea. Stayman's WINESAP  
RED DELICIOUS WEALTHY JONATHAN

## Spring Dug STRAWBERRIES

Our berries are all dug this spring. Heavy rooted, good top foliage. Heavy bearers.

PREMIER. \$1.95 per 100.  
DUNLAP. \$1.75 per 100.  
GEM - EVERBEARING. \$1.95 Per 100

DOWNING GOOSEBER- CHERRY AND DIPLOMA CUR-  
RIES. 50c each; 3 for \$1.25. RANTS. 50c each; 3 for \$1.25.

**FRENCH PUSSY WILLOWS.** A handsome ornamental tree whose extra large silvery "catkins" appear early in spring before the leaves.

**\$1.00 ea.**

## Hamilton's TREES

For ornamental growth, for shade. A choice selection of varieties which have proven hardy and desirable in this climate. Sturdy, well branched.

ALL TREES  
SHIPPED  
EXPRESS  
COLLECT

### PLANT YOUR VICTORY GARDEN EARLY



### VICTORY FRUIT GARDEN



**MAPLE SILVER.** Silver backed leaves, fast growing. 6-8 ft. — **\$1.50**, each.

**ELM — CHINESE.** A selected strain of this popular fast grower. 3-4 ft. — **40c** each. 5-6 ft. — **85c** each 8-10 ft. — **\$1.75**.

**CHINESE ELM SEEDLINGS.** 2-3 ft. Chinese Elm Seedlings; 2-4 ft. 25 for **\$1.50** — 50 for **\$2.50** — 100 or **\$4.50**.

**MAPLE, Swshedler's.** Purple leaved. Most beautiful of all Maples. 6-8 ft. — each **\$4.50**.

**POPLAR, Lombardi.** Tall columnar type for screen fences, etc. 5-6 ft. — **49c** each, 6-8 ft. — **69c** each.

**HARD MAPLE.** Best of the Maples — strong, long-lived and clean, each **\$2.50**.

Owing to conditions, we reserve the right to change prices without notice.



## Evergreens Healthy, Hardy Specimens

**SILVER JUNIPER.** The best of the light-blue Junipers, upright, hardy. 2-3 ft. — **\$4.50** each.

**VIRGINIA JUNIPER.** Fine, dense, rich green dense foliage. 18-24 in. — **\$2.50** each.

**PFITZER JUNIPER.** Low growing. Spreading, dwarf for foundation. 18-24 inches — **\$3.50** each.

**ARBOR VITAE.** Pyramidal. Well shaped. Fine for foundation planting. 2½-3 ft. — **\$4.00**.

**BLACKHILL SPRUCE.** Conical, bluish-green foliage. Compact, hardy. 2 1/3-3 ft. — **\$3.50**.

**COLORADO BLUE SPRUCE.** Heavy foliage of rich glistening blue. 2½-3 ft. — **\$6.00**.

Every Specimen Balled and Burlapped —  
Freight Collect



## Hardy - Ornamental VINES

BOSTON IVY — 49c each  
SCARLET TRUMPET HSKLE  
75c each

SILVER LACE — 59c each  
WISTERIA PURPLE — 59c each

### EVERY HOME GARDEN WILL DO ITS SHARE FOR VICTORY



### Victory Home Orchard Collection



5 Apple Trees for \$1.00. Strong, healthy, vigorous rooted. 2 to 3 ft. trees. Collection consists of 1 Red Delicious, 1 Red Duchess, 1 Jonathon, 1 Wealthy and 1 Yellow Delicious.



CLEMATIS JACKMINI  
Large, Purple  
Flowering  
75c ea.

10 Lathum  
Red Raspber-  
ries, 10 Black  
Raspberries,  
4 Concord  
Grapes, 25 As-  
paragus  
Plants, 2  
Rhubarb  
Roots. A regu-  
lar **\$4.20** Value  
for only **\$3.50**.  
(Not Prepaid.)



AUSTRIAN  
FERNS  
49c ea.

## BLAZE

Everblooming  
climbing rose —  
blooms all summer.

**\$1.25 each**



## Special Collection

Choice of any 9  
— 79c variety rose.  
(Not Prepaid.)

**\$6.50**



**CLIMBING  
American  
Beauty**  
Dazzling bright.  
Purplish-crimson.  
**79c each —  
3 for \$2.00**



**PAUL'S  
SCARLET**  
Climbing  
The very finest  
of crimson roses  
vivid-scarlet.  
**79c each —  
3 for \$2.00**



**CRIMSON  
RAMBLER**  
Climbing  
Brilliant scarlet.  
Prolific Bloomer.  
**79c each —  
3 for \$2.00**

# Hamilton's Roses

## Old Favorites -- New Introductions

Heavy size 59c each; 3 for \$1.50

All our Roses are two-year, field-grown. Big, bushy, well rooted bushes that bloomed in the nursery last fall, and with reasonable care, will bloom well until frost this year. We have carefully selected only those varieties which will thrive in your garden, and produce beautiful blooms of "hot-house" quality.

Quality considered, all these Roses are exceedingly low priced. Furthermore, they are backed by our complete service of selection, planting advice, growing helps and other year-round "good neighbor" services.

### HYBRID TEA ROSES (HT) and HYBRID PERPETUALS (HP)

Hybrid Tea Roses produce lovely blooms just like you buy from your florist. They are called "Everblooming" and bloom intermittently from early summer until frost.

Hybrid Perpetual varieties produce extra large, fragrant blooms, in great profusion, in early summer. More hardy than Hybrid Tea Rose varieties.

## RED

American Beauty. H.P. Crimson shaded soft carmine; double.

E. G. Hill. H.T. Massive blooms of maroon, velvety on inside.

Etoile de Hollande. H.T. Bright red, with fine fragrance.

General Jacqueminot. H.P. Rich crimson-scarlet; fragrant.

Gruss an Teplitz. H.T. Blackish maroon, in clusters.

Red Radiance. H.T. Bright red form of Radiance.

Ami Quinard. H.T. Dark-red.

## PINK

Briancliff. H.T. Even shade of silvery rose-pink.

Dame Edith Helen. H.T. Glowing pink.

Editor McFarland. H.T. Vivid, deep pink. Fragrant. Strong.

Betty Upchurch. H.T. Soft pink. Favorite cut flower.

Pink Radiance. H.T. Brilliant rose-pink.

## YELLOW

Golden Dawn. H.T. Lemon-yellow. Very double; fragrant.

Mrs. E. P. Thom. H.T. Large, well shaped blooms of bright canary-yellow.

Mrs. P. S. Dupont. H.T. Golden yellow; reddish gold bud.

Souvenir de Claudius Pernet. H.T. Pure sunflower shades.

Sunkist. H.T. Rich yellow shaded with orange.

Roselyn. H.T.

## MULTI-COLORED

Duquesa de Penaranda. H.T. Gay copper-apricot. Best of this shade.

Edith Nellie Perkins. H.T. Rich orange outside, salmon-pink inside.

President Herbert Hoover. H.T. Orange and red shades.

Talisman. H.T. Yellow stained with copper-red and orange-rose.

Condesa De-Santiago. H.T. Oriental red; yellow underside.

## WHITE

Frau Karl Druschki. H.P. Large, snowy white. Very hardy.

Mme. Jules Bouche. H.T. Best snow-white, fragrant, everblooming Rose.

## RUGOSA SHRUB ROSES

The hardest, most vigorous of all Roses. The bushes grow 3 to 5 feet high and while the blooms are not as pretty as the H.T. or H.P. Roses, they are very dependable in this climate.

F. J. Grootendorst. Bright red, in large clusters. Everblooming.

Baby Roses. Crimson Baby, low growing small cluster type, brilliant red, everblooming.

## Rose Arbor Collection SPECIAL

4 big 2-year-old climbing bushes for **\$2.35**. Includes: 2 Paul's Scarlet — 1 Crimson Rambler.

1 Climbing American Beauty.



## Rainbow Rose Garden Collection

6 strong, sturdy 2-year-old Everblooming Hybrid Tea Roses that will bloom the first year. 2 red, 1 pink, 1 yellow, 1 white, 1 multi-color.

All six for  
**\$1.65**



PLEASE  
ADD 2%  
SALES TAX  
TO EACH  
ORDER

## COUPON

6 Selected Gladiola Bulbs FREE with Each Order of \$1.00 or More Purchased in Our Nursery Department — at the Store. NOT GOOD ON MAIL ORDERS.

# HAMILTON'S FLOWERING SHRUBS . . . . .

Larger shrubs at lower prices. Heavy-branched, well-rooted Northern grown stock that will thrive beautifully in this climate.

## 12 OLD FAVORITE ORNAMENTALS

**Heavy size 59c each; 3 for \$1.50**

**BARBERRY RED.** Shapely shrub with vivid red foliage.

**BUTTERFLY BUSH.** Covered with rich reddish flowers in spikes.

**DOGWOOD RED.** Spreading shrub. Attractive foliage. Bright red bark.

**HYDRANGEA A. G.** Large white flowers in summer for shade.

**Dogwood, Lutea.** Like red Dogwood except with golden yellow bark.

**Forsythia (Golden Bell).** Tall upright shrub, rich yellow flowers.

**Honeysuckle, Red.** Tall. Rapid growing, hardy shrub. Rose-red flowers, red berries.

**Hydrangea, P. G.** White flowers, bronze and pink shades in fall.

**Flowering Quince.** Large, oriental red flowers. Rich, dark green foliage.

**Lilac.** America's most beautiful hardy shrub. Masses of bloom.

**Mock Orange.** Tall, vigorous. Countless, fragrant, white flowers.

**Tamarix Hispida.** Lacy, silvery-blue foliage. Fine pink flowers.

### COLLECTION OFFER

Any 10 hardy flowering shrubs listed above, your own selection of varieties.

**ALL 10 for \$5.00**

**Collection Not Prepaid**

## SPECIAL SELECTED VARIETIES

**Heavy size \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25**

**Weigela, Eva Ratkke,**  
**Brilliant Red Flowering**

**Crab, Hopa.** New, red flowering Crab.

**Persian Lilac.** Deep purple. Compact bush.

**Red Bud.** Low, shrubby tree. Rose-red bloom in spring.

**Snowball.** Masses of flowers.

**Almond Pink.** Very double pink blossoms like dainty roses.

**Bechtel's Crab, Double**  
**Pink Flowering Dwarf**  
**Crab.**

**French Lilacs.** Shapely budded bushes, 8-12 inch panicles of gorgeous flowers all spring that grow quickly. Two-year-old field grown plants. Your choice of Chas. Joly — red; Ludwig Spaeth — purple-wine; Pres. Grey — double blue; Mme. Lemoine — White.

# SPIREA

America's Favorite Shrub

Your choice of 4 varieties, all heavy, well branched, well rooted:

**49c each; 3 for \$1.25**

(Not Prepaid)

**Anthony Waterer.** Low. Best dwarf for foundation or border. Covered with red blooms almost all summer. 18-24 inch size.

**Billiardii.** Medium. Lovely spikes of bright-pink bloom in summer. 2-3 ft. size.

**Bridal Wreath (Spirea V. H.).** Tall. America's sweetheart. A graceful shrub covered with dainty white flowers in late spring. Big 3-4 ft. size.

**Froebely.** Vigorous and hardy. Rose-red bloom in great profusion. Distinctive foliage. 18-24 inches in size.

## HEDGE PLANTS

A good assortment of carefully selected stock, at surprisingly low cost. Be sure to see and price them.

**Barberry, Thunb.** Low growing, thorny. Leaves bright green, turn orange-scarlet in fall. Bright red berries all winter. 12-18 inches — 10 for **\$1.75**, 18-24 inches — 10 for **\$2.50**.

**Honeysuckle, Pink.** Best hardy tall screen. Fragrant flowers. **49c each; 10 for \$3.50**.

**Priest, A.R.** Very hardy, upright, dense hedge. 18-24 inches — 10 for **\$1.75**, 25 for **\$3.50**, 50 for **\$6.00**, 100 for **\$11.00**.

**Spirea V.H. (Bridal Wreath).** The best shrub for a flowering hedge. 18-24 inches — 10 for **\$1.75**, 25 for **\$3.50**, 2-3 ft. — 10 for **\$3.90**, 25 for **\$5.00**.

## PEONIES

Karl Rosefield, Felix-Crouse, Rachel, President Roosevelt, Edulis, Superba, Floral Treasure, Pink Giant, Festiva Maxima, Mons Jules Elie.

AS IS

4 to 6 eye roots

**59c each; 3 for \$1.35**